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Beijing City Stay

with Optional 2-night Hong Kong Post Tour Extension

9 Days • 15 Meals: 7 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 4 Dinners

October 31 – November 8, 2012



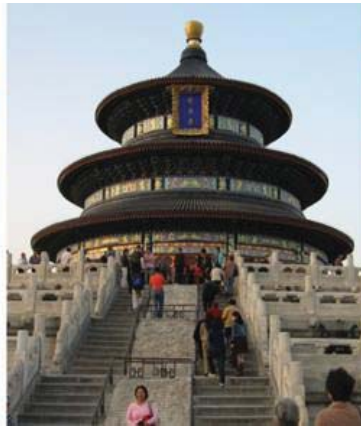
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Highlights... Beijing Zoo • Tiananmen Square • Forbidden City • Peking Duck Dinner and Opera • The Great Wall • Olympic Green • Temple of Heaven • Rickshaw Tour

Book Now: Double \$2,399; Single \$2,749; Triple \$2,379

Regular Rates: Double \$2,499; Single \$2,849; Triple \$2,479

*Rates are Per Person **

Included in Price:

Round Trip Air from Detroit Metro Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges of \$100 (subject to increase until paid in full), Hotel Transfers

Not included in price:

Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$220 per person

Day 1: Wednesday, October 31, 2012 Overnight Flight

Day 2: Thursday, November 01, 2012 Beijing, China - Tour Begins

Experience one of the most fascinating cities in the world, Beijing. Over the next several days, you will experience the beauty and intrigue of this ancient culture.

Day 3: Friday, November 02, 2012 Beijing

Begin your journey in Beijing, the capital of the People's Republic of China. After a short lesson on the local language, depart for a morning visit to the Summer Palace, ranked among the most noted classical gardens in the world and a UNESCO World Heritage site. Visit the Beijing Zoo, home of the famous pandas. See the new habitat that has been created for those pandas rescued from the earthquake region who are now happily residing in their new home! Then, learn about jade carving and help design your very own custom-made jade name seal stamp, a perfect way to commemorate your visit to Beijing. Tonight, a traditional dumpling dinner is included. *Today breakfast, lunch and dinner will be included.*

Day 4: Saturday, November 03, 2012 Beijing

Begin your day with a visit to the famous site of Tiananmen Square, the largest public square in the world. Next, visit the Forbidden City, a vast network of palaces including five halls, seventeen palaces and numerous other rooms and buildings which have been home to 24 Chinese Emperors over 491 years. This evening you will be treated to a dinner featuring Peking Duck, followed by a colorful performance of the Peking Opera. *Today breakfast, lunch and dinner will be included.*

Day 5: Sunday, November 04, 2012 Beijing

Today is at leisure to explore this fascinating, constantly changing city independently. Your Tour Manager will be available to offer suggestions on how best to spend your day! *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 6: Monday, November 05, 2012 The Great Wall

No visit to China would be complete without seeing The Great Wall, one of the new Seven Wonders of the World! Behold this

awesome site and have the chance to walk along a portion of this 3,700-mile marvel. Travel through the Valley of the Ming Tombs where you will walk along the Sacred Way, or Divine Road, which means "the road leading to heaven." Feel the excitement of the 2008 Summer Olympics when you view the Olympic Green where you have the opportunity to take photos of two famous structures - the Bird's Nest and Water Cube! *Today breakfast, lunch and dinner will be included.*

Day 7: Tuesday, November 06, 2012 Beijing

Enjoy a full day of leisure to relax or independently explore this wonderful city. You may take an optional tour to Xian*, which includes a visit to the Terra-Cotta Warriors Museum. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 8: Wednesday, November 07, 2012 Beijing

This morning you'll visit the Temple of Heaven where the emperor came twice each year to thank the gods for the good harvest and pray for the new harvest. You will also see the locals doing their morning Tai Chi exercises, playing cards or board games.



Afterwards, experience ancient Beijing on a traditional rickshaw tour through its narrow streets and alleys. With help from an interpreter, you will learn about a local family's history and way of life when you share lunch with them in their Hutong home. They will also teach you the art of

traditional dumpling making! Next you'll visit with a kite master and learn the history of the favorite pastime of many locals, followed by a traditional tea ceremony. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner. *Today breakfast, lunch and dinner will be included.*

Day 9: Thursday, November 08, 2012
Beijing - Tour Ends
 Your tour ends in Beijing. On your return flight home you will cross the International Dateline. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Experience It!

The Peking Opera

The Peking Opera of China is a national treasure with a history of 200 years. It is a synthesis of stylized action, singing, dialogue and mime, acrobatic fighting and dancing to represent a story or depict different characters and their feelings. In Peking opera there are four main types of roles: male, young female, painted face male, and clown (male or female). The characters may be loyal or treacherous, beautiful or ugly, good or bad, with their images being vividly manifested. The repertoire of Peking opera is mainly engaged in fairy tales of preceding dynasties, important historical events, emperors, ministers and generals. The performance is accompanied by a tune played on wind instruments, percussion instruments and stringed instruments. The costumes are graceful, magnificent, elegant and brilliant, most of which are made in handcrafted embroidery. As the traditional Chinese patterns are adopted, the costumes are of a high aesthetic value. Join your fellow passengers for an incredible performance at the Peking Opera.

YOUR ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Day 2 – 8	Qianmen Jianguo Hotel, Beijing

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

"Single Hotel Stay": tours feature every night at the same hotel, so you only unpack once! Accommodations are carefully chosen, allowing you the flexibility to access and explore nearby cities and attractions.

Please Note:
 Discounted rates valid until 4/30/2012

Air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

To complete your vacation, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing Collette airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

*The optional tour to Xian must be purchased a minimum of 45 days prior to departure and is non-refundable within 45 days of departure. Passport information is required at the time of booking this option. Internal flights that are purchased will be ticketed and distributed on tour by your Tour Manager. The cost of this option is \$499.00 USD per person. Should you decide to book this option inside of 45 days of departure, the cost will be approx. \$599.00 USD and is subject to availability.

Order of days in China may change.

At Collette, we pride ourselves on bringing travelers the very best experiences a destination offers. Our itineraries include many activities and may consist of walking on uneven terrain or significant walking at times. Some of the most unique sightseeing can mean accessing locations that restrict motorcoaches, especially in historic areas. For your comfort, we recommend bringing walking shoes.

This tour requires average physical activity. You should be in good health, able to climb stairs and walk reasonable distances, possibly over uneven grounds and cobblestone streets.

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Extend Your Vacation With...

Optional 3 Days 2-night Hong Kong Post Tour Extension Rate: \$899.00 USD per person, double, land and air included 2 Meals: 2 Breakfasts

Day 10: Beijing - Hong Kong

This afternoon you arrive in Hong Kong, one of Asia's most cosmopolitan and dynamic cities. You will stay in Kowloon, located in the heart of Hong Kong's bustling shopping district. The remainder of your day is at leisure. Hong Kong is noted for fabulous savings on jewelry, silk and leather products.

Day 11: Hong Kong - Hong Kong Island

Cross the harbor and enjoy a comprehensive tour of Hong Kong Island, home to the city's most popular sights. Visit Stanley Market and stroll around its famous seaside village bazaar. Learn about the lifestyle of Hong Kong's fishermen with a visit to Aberdeen Fishing Village where you will have the opportunity to take a traditional sampan ride in the typhoon shelter. Your tour will also take you past Repulse Bay Beach, an important strategic location during World War II and the longest beach on the island. Cap your tour with a panoramic ride up Victoria Peak for spectacular views of the city and harbor below. The remainder of your day is at leisure. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 12: Hong Kong - Tour Ends

You will board your flight home, crossing the International Dateline en route. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Please Note: This extension is hosted by a local representative who will provide all included services.

Extensions not purchased at time of deposit are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

IMPORTANT RESERVATION INFORMATION

Passports and Visa are required for this tour at your expense. The approximate Visa cost is \$175 USD. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details.

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IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

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Taxes and Fees: Government and Other Authority Taxes and Fees are not included in base fare but are included in the tax amount listed: September 11th Security Fee up to \$10.00, Passenger Facility Charge (PFCs) of up to \$18 per passenger, Federal Domestic Flight Segment Fee of up to \$3.50 USD applies per passenger, per segment, US or International Departure and Arrival Fees up to \$350 which vary by itinerary. In order to better serve you, once you complete the booking process your invoice will display your vacation land package, base airfare, fuel surcharge and all taxes and fees as separate line items. Airfares are subject to change. Seats are limited and may not be available on every flight or departure date.

Checked Baggage Charges: Some airlines may impose additional charges if you choose to check any baggage. Please contact your airline or refer to its website for detailed information regarding your airline's checked baggage policies, as fees vary by airline and destination.

Cancellation Charges for this tour: After your seat reduction date has passed, a non-refundable deposit will be retained. For Cancellation between 60-16 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 30% of total price. For cancellation between 15-1 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 50% of total price. For cancellation on the day of departure and after: 100% of total price. For Ocean Cruises: For cancellation between 90-61 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 35% of total price. For cancellation between 60-31 days prior to departure: 60% of total price. 30 or fewer days prior to departure: 100% of total price. For River Cruises: including Europe, Russia, Egypt and China, 90-61 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 50% of total price. For cancellation between 60-31 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 85% of total price. For cancellation 30 or fewer days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 100% of total price. For Galapagos and Antarctica: A cancellation fee of 60% will apply for cancellation between 120-90 days prior to departure; A cancellation charge of 100% will apply for cancellation less than 90 days prior to departure. Cancellation protection is highly recommended and must be purchased at time of deposit. Air rates are subject to change until tour is paid in full. If waivers have not been purchased and a reservation is cancelled for any reason prior to departure - Air is 100% non-refundable once paid in full. Cancellation charges also apply to reservations made for "pre" and "post" night accommodations. Purchase of Waiver and Insurance guarantees a full refund of all payments (including deposit), except the Waiver and insurance fee itself, made to Collette Vacations for travel arrangements in case of cancellation of your travel plans for any reason prior to the day of departure. The Waiver and Insurance does not cover any single

supplement charges which arise from an individual's Traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. Upon cancellation of transportation or travel services where you, the customer, are not at fault and have not canceled in violation of the terms and conditions above, you will be refunded 100%. Please see your sales agent for more information, or review our brochure for details.

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